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My call with Paul went well.

He regretted being unable to spend time with the EPA group last week **non-responsive**  
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He said he had been briefed by his team and will instruct them that drilling a horizontal well that goes under the well pad should be an available option if necessary to compensate for the slow groundwater flow. He cautioned that he wants to make sure the horizontal well is really necessary and that we will assure that it does not collide with the gas wells but made clear that the option is on the table if we need to pursue it.

He said there would not be a letter from the company, as we had been led to expect.

He indicated that Stephanie would be in touch with the company's official position, probably by calling Ramona.

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